Giants Are Doing Well in a Big State, but It's the Big League That Counts

Leonard Whips Welsh in Whirlwind Battle

All But Knocks Out the World's Champion Lightweight.

TITLE HOLDER HAS HARD NIGHT'S WORK

Crowd Equal in Size to Moran-Willard Gathering Sees the Contest

By W. O. M'GEEHAN.

weight title out of Freddie Welsh at adison Square Garden last night cross the sen looked like a novice. The

It was probably the best fight that Weish has put up in a long while. He wanted to "show Leonard up," but instead he was shown up himself, as a

Leonard had the fire of youth, in addition to a knowledge of boxing more brilliant than that of any lightweight since Gans. Ring generalship was the only thing that saved Welsh from a kneckout and the loss of his title.

The proof that Welsh tried was a cut over Leonard's eye, the first visible

the champion's eye.

It was one of the fastest and most spectncular battles ever seen at the Garden, and decidedly the cleverest.

of the turtle, making a shell of his arms.

In the eighth round Welsh took a desperate chance and swung to the head with his left. The blow should have dared the Jewish lad, but it did not.

Welsh's face had become trage. It was the one fight he wanted to win, and he had no chance. The yells of the crowd told him that the "king of lightweights" was very dead in popular favor. They also hailed Leonard as the king to be.

If the fight had gone longer, or if Freddie looked a bit peeved. A moment later the fun began.



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yesterday afternoon. The coach and Captain Harvitt outlined plans for the season. It was announced that the first outdoor practice will take place on Monday, and daily thereafter. A number of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took short work-outs on South Field after the conference of the squad took sh

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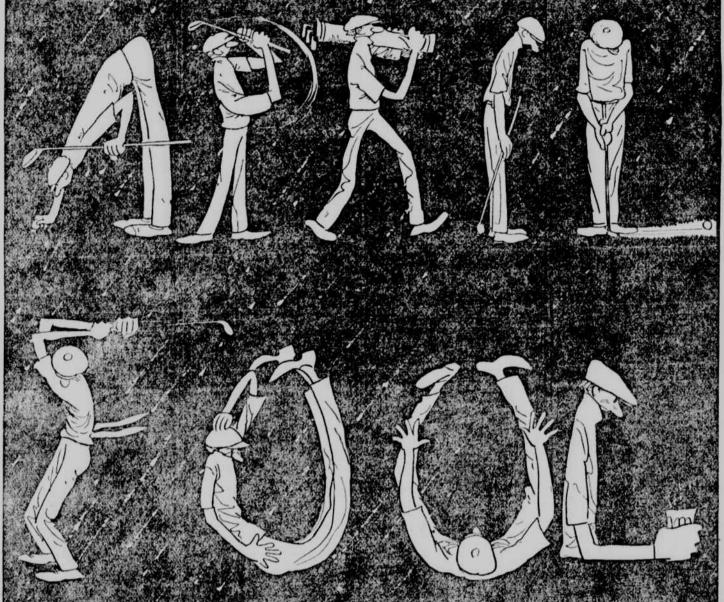
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By BRIGGS

Bill's Smile Broader.

OVERTON MUST SHOW REAL SPEED TO-NIGHT

Whether or not John W. Overton, the

question as to what he is capable of accomplishing when pushed. His opponents will be Ted Meredith, of the University of Pennsylvania; Joe T. Higgins, of Holy Cross College; Dave S. Caldwell, of the Boston Athletic Association; Sydney Leslie, Long Island Athletic Club; Mike A. Devanney, representing the Millrose Athletic Association, and Homer Baker, unattached.

Let a the drive toward rightfield that was ticketed for at legst two bases, but Walter Fipp stretched himself at tall length, shot up into the air and back to earth with the ball in his gloved hand.

In the third Williams hit to deep the control of the six and at the ball. When representing the Millrose Athletic Association, and Homer Baker, unattached. question as to what he is capable of was ticketed for at

gramme. The special sprint will bring it was Gil together Howard P. Drew, Roy F. Morse, Frank L. Stephenson, Jack J. Eller and Dave Politzer.

Giants Keep on Winning Down in the Southland

LORD BYRON'S RIVAL IN ONE J. B. LUBBOCK

George Burns Gets Home Run from His Drive Which Hugged Foul Line.

By FRANK O'NEILL.

Houston, Tex., March 31.-We have

An Easy Work-Out.

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Yankees Win First Clash with Major League Club by a Score of 8 to 4.

Herzog's Reds No Match

for Wild Bill's Men

FRITZ MAISEL MAKES A BRILLIANT CATCH

Mogridge Pitches Full Nine Innings-Schneider Gets

a Home Run.

Memphis, Tenn., March 31.-Bill Den

These blows, with a pass, man

noon, losing to Clark Griffithe Sen ators by the score of 2 to 1. Gille O'Mara, the peppers little shortstep of the Robins, gave the Sentant Sentant of the Robins and the most original umpine who even ators their first run by interfering with the fourts mixing or garden by hall in the fourts mixing or garden by held the centre of the produced what proved to be the wint. It was a game of splendid pitching, left staff, lecked horrs or Robbies' harding at the fourts mixing or garden by the staff locked horrs or Robbies' harding starf of the precedings, and everything went along the until Oille split into takes at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the inning by rotting the start of the Sentant Things off and the ball was at the start of the inning by rotting to take at fly away from What. If the start of the start of the inning by rotting the totake and the staff of the work of the start of the inning by rotting the staff of the start of the inning by rotting the start of the start of the inning by rotting the staff of the start of the start

Washington, March 31. - The Robins honored an amateur base-

what the pitcher offered.

portunity to meet the retired amateur, and they made a point of filing

by him to shake hands. The shortstop in question is now in the employ of the United States govern-

SALT ON ROBINS Defeat Houston Team by a Score of 4 to 1, Anderson Starring in Box.

Overzealous Ollie Overlooks Outfielders and Ball Bounces By.

Washington, March 31.-Unable to solve the offerings of Harry Harper, the young left-hander, and Bert Gallia, the spit ball artist, for more than five scattered hits, "Your Uncle" Wilbert Robinson and his boys suffered their first defeat of the year here this afternoon, losing to Clark Griffith's Sen-

ators by the score of 2 to 1.

amateur boxing bouts under the new law recently enacted in New Jersey.
The dates granted were April 19 and 21.

Wahoo Sam in Receptive Mood.
Beaumont, Tex., March 31.—The Detroit Americans accepted every offering of the local pitchers to-day and hit safely fifteen times for five runs, winning from Beaumont, 5 to 1.

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Benny Leonard.

spectacular battles ever seen at the Garden, and decidedly the cleverest. Welsh put up a game and aggressive fight. If he had battled that way before last night he would have been the most popular of the lightweights. In addition, the veteran used every trick of blocking and helding, but the clear-eyed Jewish boy found openings, and landed with precision.

It was Welsh, the cld fox, the veteran, who missed. When the champion tried to mix it Leonard ducked and had him looking like a novice. The crowd was half delirious as the pair flashed around the ring like a couple of lithe young panthers. Not since the days of the very great ones has there been such a battle.

When he found himself outpointed in the first few rounds Welsh grinned sarcastically; but later his mouth dropped with worry. Once or twice he showed flashes of real anger, but Leonard shot a left to the showed frashes of real anger, but Leonard shot a left to the blody and Welsh bent over. His face twitched with pain.

round the champion was visibly in a bad way. Leonard shot a left to the body and Welsh bent over. His face twitched with pain.

The champion's worry increased when he saw that the younger man was watching for a chance to land the knockout. Leonard had ceased to jab. He flitted about peering through his narrowed eyes for the chance to send home the blow that would bring him the championship.

It was then that experience came to Welsh's aid. He covered up well. He built for his body a defence like that of the turtle, making a shell of his arms.

MANY WILL RACE AT ROCKAWAY HUNT CLUB

Although entries do not close for more than two weeks' nominations for the annual hunter and pony races of the Rockaway Hunting Club indicate that record breaking fields will start in these events. This meet, to be held at Hewlett Bay Park, Long Island, en April 29, will open the amateur theroughbred racing season of 1916.

Reports from the various training camps show that a far larger number of horses are being prepared for this and subsequent spring meets than has been the case in any previous year. Among the many foreign thoroughbreds which have recently been bought by prominent Americans are several score 'chasers and timber-toppers, and their participation will tend to give an international character to the Rockaway Hunting Club's meet. more than two weeks' nominations for

Wefers Talks to Track Squad. Bernie Wefera's track squad at Columbia listened to a pair of lectures vesterday afternoon. The coach and

Smoky Joe Still Worried. "Rogers Peet" Derbies and off hats.

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Smoky Joe Wood, leading twirler of the American League last season, is still having trouble with his arm and with Owner Lannin of the Red Sox over the salary question. Joe has been working out with the Columbia nine in an endeavor to round his wing into condition.

Boxing Team Completed.

on boxing, which at present are being made by some of the newspapers, are sickening. We are told that because it is possible to draw blood, a stiff left jao to the eye is likely to ieave its trademark; and that because each year a few perhaps five boxers are killed in the ring, we should tie the can to the game.

"As I see it, if we are going to quit every line of sport in which the participants may be injured, or possibly killed, we had better take up that pepular pastime of embroidering pillow tops.

"The number of players killed each year in baseball is fully equal to the number who kick off in the squared circle; and the number who pass away as a result of their efforts on the gridiron each year is at least Boxing Team Completed.

Three Trinity Club boxers were selected by the local boxing committee yesterday to fill in the vacant places on the team that will represent the Metropolitan Association in the national amateur boxing championships at Mechanics Hall. Boston, on next Monday and Tuesday nights. They are Adolph Kaufman, in the 158-pound class; William Sorenson, in the 175, pound division and Arthur Sheridan, heavyweight. away as a result of their efforts on the gridiron each year is at least double the number of fisticusfers who depart this life while in pursuit of their manly profession of slamming. "Mark you, I am not rapping the national pastime, nor football either; but I should like to know why foot-hall is all right and baseball O. K., but boxing all wrong. Why is it? "T. J. I."
"P. S.—I am not a tight promoter. "P. S. I am not a fight promoter, manager, nor even a patron of bexing louis, having attended them only once in my life.

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Of the Cauliflower HE Aggressive and Agile Andre Fight Log. Anderson is still nursing a busted os magnum, ulna or some other

Heard at the Sign

price of admission will pernaps only he about 25 cents a copy. The fact that the rate will be this reasonable leads every one to suspect that Tom Jones, the frugal Barber of Ke-wanee, has something to do with the coming of Frederick. The Ferocious and Formidable Frederick has been tentatively matched with Al Reich, the Agoniz-ius Adonis of Manhatian. Of course, We thought that any up-to-date dic-tionary would have the information.

e. But cheer up, men. The ocious and Formidable Frederick ton is about to come into our

as enfe an opponent as a new heavy-weight could have. Al never loses his head or knocks them out.

Andre Anderson by the Ferocious

Fulton. Now we are told that Andre all but had Fred out in the third round, when the promoter came to Andre's corner and begged him to let Fulton stay a few rounds.

"You know there are a let of people who came a long way to see this

ple who came a long way to see this battle," the promoter is alleged to have pleaded. "Let him stay a few more rounds!"

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Though Andre is hard-fisted, he is soft-hearted. He hearkened to the plea of the promoter and agreed to

plea of the promoter and agreed to let Fulton make a showing. Suddenly the Ferocious and Formidable One lifted a wallop from the floor and caught Andre on the chin. Andre went down for the count.
"But let me tell you," says Manager James Johnston, fiercely, "there will be a return match when Andre's os magnum is well, and the Furiously Ferocious Fred Fulton will bite the dust before the Aggressively Agile Andre, so help me Jasper Jimpson!"

ONE of our readers has discovered

that boxing is a comparatively safe and gentle sport. He writes:

"Dear Mr. M'Geehan-The attacks

on boxing, which at present are be-

NEW alibi has been offered for A the defeat of the Astounding

But here it is:

Free tickets to fights are usually punched full of holes, in order that they may be easily distinguished from the paid tickets in the counting up. Annie Oakley is a celebrated markswoman. One of her feats was to shoot pieces of cardboard full of holes. The tickets which have been nunched treample discarded targets erick will be rushed right a place of contender for the heavy-ight championship. But his back-figure that there is enough curi-ty concerning the Ferocious and punched resemble discarded targets used by Annie Oakley. Hence the free tieket to a prize fight is known as an "Annie Oakley." es an "Annie Oakley."

It is very simple and pretty. Trusting that we have made ourselves clear we will dismiss the class in English-as-she-has-become. Any New York Senator knows what "Annie-Oakleys" are. Also, he knows that they were very scarce for the Willard-Moran fight. lile one in this town to draw Gibson proposed that Fulton fight Jim Coffey as a starter, but Frederick's manager said something like "Safety first," and picked Reich. Come to think of it, Reich is about

THE next championship battle will be between that Dashing, Smashing, Crashing person, Kid Lewis, and the Stabbing, Jabbing, Grabbing Jack Britton. It's a championship fight by the grace of Jimmie Johnston, who nominated Lewis the welterweight champion of the world a while ago. There was not a dissenting vote, as only two ballets were cast at the election: One by Johnston and one by Kid Lewis.

The Dashing One has probably

by Kid Lewis.

The Dashing One has probably made a record for crowding the fights. Mr. Johnston, who handles his affairs, points out that if a fighter keeps fighting he has no training expenses to pay. He can keep in condition and earn money at the same time.

"Just look at that boy," says Jimsuctions at that boy, says Jim-mie. "Only been in the country a lit-tle over a year and he is sued for \$15,000 breach of promise. I ask you, in all fairness, could any other fight-er get to the top so quickly?"

Gets First Jersey Permit.

Rising out of obscurity after several years of inactivity, the Warren Ath-letic Club, of Jersey City, last night received the first sanction to conduct

Greet Shortstop

in White House

ball player to-day. The man before whom the Brooklyn players passed in review once played shortstop for a New Jersey college. He is said to have been a fair fielder, but only an indifferent hitter, owing to his fondness for waiting, no matter Nevertheless, the baseball players seemed much impressed by their op-

ment. His pame is Woodrow Wil-

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